

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

Scott Roger Finn et al. : Group Art Unit: 1774

Application No. 10/656,380

: Examiner: Camie S. Thompson

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For: REINFORCED FAN BLADE (as  
amended)

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SIR:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated July 11, 2007, Applicants respectfully request that the application be amended as follows.

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